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HATCHERY PRODUCTION



October 1963

U.S. DEPOSITORY

November 15, 1963

Chicks Hatched

Hatcheries in the United States produced 194,165,000 chicks in October as compared with 193,504,000 in October 1962 according to the Crop Reporting Board. Broiler chicks totaled 168,849,000, fractionally lower than October last year. During the 10-month period January through October there were 1,888,140,000 broiler chicks hatched--up 2 percent from the comparable period in 1962. Broiler-type eggs in incubators on November 1 were up 1 percent from November 1 last year indicating that the broiler hatch in November 1963 may be slightly more than in November 1962.

There were 25,316,000 egg-type chicks hatched in October--3 percent more than in October 1962. Increases were 29 percent in the East North Central States, 20 percent in the East South Central, 13 percent in the West North Central, 10 percent in the West South Central, and 6 percent in the South Atlantic States. Decreases were 32 percent in the Mountain States, 12 percent in the New England and Mid-Atlantic States, respectively, and 7 percent in the Pacific Coast States.

Poults Hatched

Heavy breed poults hatched in October totaled 972,000--down 5 percent from October last year. The hatch of heavy white breeds totaled 682,000--a decrease of 23 percent from October 1962. The hatch of other heavy breeds (mostly broad-breasted bronze) totaled 290,000--more than double October last year. Production of light breed poults totaled 411,000--up 14 percent from October last year. During the period January through October, the hatch of turkey poults was 97,002,000--an increase of 1 percent from same period in 1962. The 10 months hatch of heavy white breeds was 31,964,000--an increase of 4 percent; other heavy breeds was 55,610,000--a decrease of 1 percent; and light breeds at 9,428,000 was up 5 percent. The number of heavy breed eggs in incubators on November 1 was up 24 percent from November 1 last year indicating a larger heavy type hatch in November than a year ago. The hatch of light breed poults in November 1963 will also be larger than in November 1962 as the number of light breed eggs in incubators on November 1 was 33 percent larger than on November 1, 1962.

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Washington, D. C.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries

State and division	Broiler-type				Egg-type	
	October		Jan. through October		October	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands	Thousands
Maine	5,430	5,248	53,953	54,851	121	189
N. H.	970	749	10,751	9,139	195	178
Vt.	2	---	11	40	20	12
Mass. & R.I. ^{1/}	814	856	7,705	10,589	509	496
Conn.	1,966	1,533	19,734	16,247	615	404
N. E.	9,182	8,386	92,154	90,866	1,460	1,279
N. Y.	180	150	3,385	1,860	1,290	1,300
N. J.	141	145	1,873	1,648	625	410
Pa.	3,882	3,361	40,960	38,936	1,285	1,095
M. A.	4,203	3,656	46,218	42,444	3,200	2,805
Ohio	670	750	9,830	9,640	780	1,300
Ind.	3,211	2,830	39,735	32,962	1,023	1,063
Ill.	192	48	4,110	1,496	607	742
Mich.	470	490	5,730	4,700	390	500
Wis.	803	830	9,820	9,889	163	225
E.N.C.	5,346	4,948	69,225	58,687	2,963	3,830
Minn.	1,015	1,081	10,342	10,824	332	415
Iowa	260	240	3,140	3,655	170	150
Mo.	4,187	3,955	54,307	52,219	213	225
N. Dak.	2/	2/	2/	2/	0	0
S. Dak.	2/	2/	2/	2/	80	75
Nebr.	24	12	1,116	1,029	28	58
Kans.	148	180	2,428	2,425	139	160
W.N.C.	2/ 5,634	2/ 5,468	2/ 71,644	2/ 70,354	962	1,083
Del.	6,591	5,776	65,940	67,450	3/	3/
Md.	11,052	11,698	109,691	122,086	118	37
Va.	4,841	4,382	62,574	55,244	436	492
W. Va.	290	286	4,307	3,724	3/	3/
N. C.	15,957	16,431	178,970	186,538	685	667
S. C.	1,667	1,359	18,955	17,091	433	394
Ga.	30,547	30,454	339,436	335,627	1,442	1,557
Fla.	1,742	1,477	17,680	14,993	1,205	1,452
S. A.	72,687	71,863	797,553	802,753	3/ 4,325	3/ 4,600
Ky.	380	235	4,495	3,785	100	205
Tenn.	3,720	3,600	37,630	37,200	385	240
Ala.	16,960	17,836	184,041	200,735	603	743
Miss.	11,372	13,099	123,678	132,965	665	919
E.S.C.	32,432	34,770	349,844	374,685	1,753	2,107
Ark.	18,963	19,450	203,592	209,975	798	688
La.	1,930	2,197	18,362	24,400	89	201
Okla.	349	352	6,168	6,424	120	240
Texas	10,705	9,822	113,110	120,182	1,765	1,933
W.S.C.	31,947	31,821	341,232	360,981	2,772	3,062
Idaho	251	348	3,650	4,097	92	71
Colo.	3	1	175	168	92	78
Utah	75	102	1,666	1,541	40	31
Mount.	4/ 362	4/ 477	4/ 5,928	4/ 6,119	4/ 410	4/ 279
Wash.	947	1,443	12,997	15,917	781	1,010
Oreg.	803	906	11,356	10,137	151	142
Calif.	5,268	4,966	55,847	53,975	5,701	5,039
Pac.	7,018	7,315	80,200	80,029	6,633	6,191
48 States	168,811	168,704	1,853,998	1,886,918	24,478	25,236
Hawaii	116	145	1,126	1,222	99	80
U. S.	168,927	168,849	1,855,124	1,888,140	24,577	25,316

^{1/} Massachusetts and Rhode Island combined - to avoid disclosing individual operations.

^{2/} To avoid disclosing individual operations - West North Central total includes North and South Dakota. ^{3/} South Atlantic total includes Delaware and West Virginia. ^{4/} Mountain total includes Montana, Wyoming, New Mexico, and Arizona.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries

State and division	Egg-type			Total			
	: Jan. through October:			October		: Jan. through October	
	1962	1963	Average 1957-61	1962	1963	1962	1963
	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.
Maine	3,372	3,324	4,718	5,551	5,437	57,325	58,175
N.H.	2,889	2,886	1,129	1,165	927	13,640	12,025
Vt.	407	386	20	22	12	418	426
Mass. & R.I. ^{1/}	8,637	7,659	1,464	1,323	1,352	16,342	18,248
Conn.	7,882	7,403	3,024	2,581	1,937	27,616	23,650
N.E.	23,187	21,658	10,355	10,642	9,665	115,341	112,524
N.Y.	14,340	15,490	1,186	1,470	1,450	17,725	17,350
N.J.	11,610	9,675	1,206	766	555	13,483	11,323
Pa.	26,805	27,249	4,256	5,167	4,456	67,765	66,185
M.A.	52,755	52,414	6,648	7,403	6,461	98,973	94,858
Ohio	22,380	22,676	1,468	1,450	2,050	32,210	32,316
Ind.	23,453	24,151	4,837	4,234	3,893	63,188	57,113
Ill.	21,709	20,678	1,016	799	790	25,819	22,174
Mich.	9,750	10,410	859	860	990	15,480	15,110
Wis.	8,005	7,889	1,071	966	1,055	17,825	17,778
E.N.C.	85,297	85,804	9,252	8,309	8,778	154,522	144,491
Minn.	26,215	24,742	511	1,347	1,496	36,557	35,566
Iowa	36,560	35,500	428	430	390	39,700	39,155
Mo.	16,147	14,326	4,411	4,400	4,180	70,454	66,545
N.Dak.	2,074	2,634	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
S.Dak.	10,393	10,042	2/	2/	2/	2/	2/
Nebr.	13,511	12,993	124	52	70	14,627	14,022
Kans.	6,849	7,070	264	287	340	9,277	9,495
W.N.C.	111,749	107,307	2/ 5,774	2/ 6,596	2/ 6,551	2/ 183,393	2/ 177,661
Del.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
Md.	1,494	1,631	8,035	11,170	11,735	111,185	123,717
Va.	6,389	6,119	5,167	5,277	4,874	68,963	61,363
W.Va.	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
N.C.	8,518	9,239	11,066	16,642	17,098	187,488	195,777
S.C.	5,390	5,892	1,793	2,100	1,753	24,345	22,983
Ge.	15,805	20,481	24,897	31,989	32,011	355,241	356,108
Fla.	13,000	16,705	2,294	2,947	2,929	30,680	31,698
S.A.	3/ 51,218	3/ 60,549	3/ 58,921	3/ 77,012	3/ 76,463	3/ 848,771	3/ 863,302
Ky.	2,920	3,294	906	480	440	7,415	7,079
Tenn.	6,730	6,425	3,248	4,105	3,840	44,360	43,625
Ala.	6,691	7,510	11,422	17,563	18,579	190,732	208,245
Miss.	6,874	8,530	7,894	12,037	14,018	130,552	141,495
E.S.C.	23,215	25,759	23,470	34,185	36,877	373,059	400,444
Ark.	6,464	9,395	10,939	19,761	20,138	210,056	219,370
La.	1,676	1,723	1,577	2,019	2,398	20,038	26,123
Okla.	3,606	3,712	422	469	592	9,774	10,136
Texas	20,413	21,094	9,178	12,470	11,755	133,523	141,276
W.S.C.	32,159	35,924	22,116	34,719	34,883	373,391	396,905
Idaho	1,527	1,428	251	343	419	5,177	5,525
Colo.	2,049	2,034	155	95	79	2,224	2,202
Utah	1,607	1,356	156	115	133	3,273	2,897
Mount.	4/ 8,130	4/ 7,244	4/ 722	4/ 772	4/ 756	4/ 14,058	4/ 13,363
Wash.	9,707	9,752	1,621	1,728	2,453	22,704	25,669
Oreg.	3,045	2,948	932	954	1,048	14,401	13,085
Calif.	57,705	54,078	8,561	10,969	10,005	113,552	108,053
Pac.	70,457	66,778	11,115	13,651	13,506	150,657	146,807
48 States	458,167	463,437	148,371	193,289	193,940	2,312,165	2,350,355
Hawaii	994	899	170	215	225	2,120	2,121
U.S.	459,161	464,336	148,542	193,504	194,165	2,314,285	2,352,476

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Baby chicks and turkey poults: Average prices paid to commercial hatcheries, October 1, 1963

State and division	Baby chicks, per 100			Turkey poults, each		
	Broiler breeds straight run:	Egg-type pullets		Heavy breeds		Light breeds
		Pure breeds	Incross breeds (hybrids)	White	Other	
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.
Maine	1/10.5	32.0	---	---	---	---
N.H.	12.0	34.0	40.0	---	---	---
Vt.	---	32.0	---	---	---	---
Mass.	12.0	35.0	42.0	---	---	---
R.I.	12.0	32.5	---	---	---	---
Conn.	1/11.0	32.0	42.0	---	---	---
N.E.	10.9	33.3	41.6	---	---	---
N.Y.	11.5	36.5	52.0	---	---	---
N.J.	13.0	35.5	45.5	---	---	---
Pa.	1/12.5	36.0	49.5	1/70	1/85	---
M.A.	12.5	36.2	49.0	---	---	---
Ohio	13.0	39.0	55.0	---	---	50
Ind.	11.5	32.0	50.0	---	---	50
Ill.	1/13.5	41.0	53.0	---	---	---
Mich.	1/13.5	38.0	52.5	---	65	50
Wis.	11.5	39.0	53.0	52	---	---
E.N.C.	12.0	38.9	52.5	---	---	50.0
Minn.	11.5	42.0	53.5	1/50	---	1/42
Iowa	10.0	40.0	52.5	---	---	1/41
Mo.	1/9.0	25.0	54.0	---	---	1/45
Nebr.	16.5	34.0	50.0	---	---	---
Kans.	10.0	36.0	51.0	---	---	---
W.N.C.	9.6	35.9	53.1	---	---	42.2
Del.	1/11.2	---	---	---	---	---
Md.	1/10.7	39.0	54.0	---	---	---
Va. 1/	10.0	40.0	53.0	70	---	44
W.Va.	1/10.5	---	---	---	---	---
N.C.	1/9.6	33.0	48.0	65	60	---
S.C. 1/	10.0	36.0	---	65	---	---
Ga.	1/9.7	32.0	48.0	---	---	---
Fla.	1/11.0	35.0	46.0	---	---	45
S.A.	10.0	34.6	49.6	65.5	---	44.5
Ky.	9.5	36.0	45.0	---	---	---
Tenn.	9.7	30.0	42.0	---	---	---
Ala.	1/9.0	35.5	42.0	---	---	---
Miss.	1/8.5	35.0	45.0	---	---	---
E.S.C.	8.9	34.6	43.6	---	---	---
Ark.	1/9.0	36.0	47.0	62	---	---
La.	1/10.0	35.5	---	---	---	---
Okla.	12.0	31.5	51.0	---	---	---
Texas	1/9.4	31.5	52.0	1/60	1/59	---
W.S.C.	9.2	33.7	50.8	61.1	---	---
Mont.	12.5	38.0	46.0	---	---	---
Idaho	12.5	37.0	---	---	---	---
Colo.	16.5	35.0	54.0	---	---	---
Ariz.	---	39.0	41.5	---	---	---
Utah	12.0	37.0	50.0	---	---	---
Mount.	12.5	37.1	46.2	---	---	---
Wash. 1/	12.5	40.0	40.0	---	---	---
Oreg. 1/	13.0	35.0	41.0	---	---	40
Calif. 1/	12.0	31.5	39.5	65	60	---
Hawaii	23.4	47.0	---	---	---	---
Pac.	13.0	33.8	39.6	---	---	---
U.S.	9.9	35.1	47.8	52.4	60.2	44.3

1/ As of the 15th of the month.

Chicks hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States 1/

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1962	1963	Change from:	1962	1963	Change from	
			last year			last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Percent	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Percent
<u>Broiler-type</u>							
January	177,386	174,990	- 1	177,386	174,990	- 2,396	- 1
February	168,973	168,431	---	346,359	343,421	- 2,938	- 1
March	209,160	199,806	- 4	555,519	543,227	-12,292	- 2
April	208,269	214,879	+ 3	763,788	758,106	- 5,682	- 1
May	210,002	224,197	+ 7	973,790	982,303	+ 8,513	+ 1
June	192,476	205,756	+ 7	1,166,266	1,188,059	+21,793	+ 2
July	185,702	194,262	+ 5	1,351,968	1,382,321	+30,353	+ 2
August	173,400	177,306	+ 2	1,525,368	1,559,627	+34,259	+ 2
September	160,829	159,664	- 1	1,686,197	1,719,291	+33,094	+ 2
October	168,927	168,849	---	1,855,124	1,888,140	+33,016	+ 2
November	170,725			2,025,849			
December	171,427			2,197,276			
<u>Egg-type</u>							
January	28,339	31,302	+ 10	28,339	31,302	+ 2,963	+ 10
February	40,304	41,731	+ 4	68,643	73,033	+ 4,390	+ 6
March	78,703	71,201	- 10	147,346	144,234	- 3,112	- 2
April	96,696	94,958	- 2	244,042	239,192	- 4,850	- 2
May	83,567	80,844	- 3	327,609	320,036	- 7,573	- 2
June	38,920	41,788	+ 7	366,529	361,824	- 4,705	- 1
July	24,437	28,451	+ 16	390,966	390,275	- 691	---
August	21,879	24,710	+ 13	412,845	414,985	+ 2,140	+ 1
September	21,739	24,035	+ 11	434,584	439,020	+ 4,436	+ 1
October	24,577	25,316	+ 3	459,161	464,336	+ 5,175	+ 1
November	21,795			480,956			
December	21,017			501,973			
<u>Total chicks</u>							
January	205,725	206,292	---	205,725	206,292	+ 567	---
February	209,277	210,162	---	415,002	416,454	+ 1,452	---
March	287,863	271,007	- 6	702,865	687,461	-15,404	- 2
April	304,965	309,837	+ 2	1,007,830	997,298	-10,532	- 1
May	293,569	305,041	+ 4	1,301,399	1,302,339	+ 940	---
June	231,396	247,544	+ 7	1,532,795	1,549,883	+17,088	+ 1
July	210,139	222,713	+ 6	1,742,934	1,772,596	+29,662	+ 2
August	195,279	202,016	+ 3	1,938,213	1,974,612	+36,399	+ 2
September	182,568	183,699	+ 1	2,120,781	2,158,311	+37,530	+ 2
October	193,504	194,165	---	2,314,285	2,352,476	+38,191	+ 2
November	192,520			2,506,805			
December	192,444			2,699,249			

1/ Includes Hawaii.

Chicken eggs in incubators November 1, 1962

Geographic divisions	Percent change from November 1, 1963		
	Broiler-type	Egg-type	Total eggs
New England	- 2	- 18	- 5
Middle Atlantic	- 18	+ 21	- 1
East North Central	- 21	- 21	- 6
West North Central	- 6	- 6	- 6
South Atlantic	- 3	- 1	- 3
East South Central	+ 9	+ 1	+ 9
West South Central	+ 6	+ 18	+ 7
Mountain	+ 69	- 8	+ 32
Pacific	+ 5	+ 2	+ 4
48 States	+ 1	+ 6	+ 1
United States <u>1/</u>	+ 1	+ 6	+ 1

1/ Includes Hawaii.

Poults hatched and turkey eggs in incubators

Geographic divisions	White		Other		Total		Light	
	heavy breeds 1/		heavy breeds 1/		heavy breeds 1/		breeds 1/	
	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963	1962	1963
	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>
Poults hatched during October								
New England	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Middle Atlantic	0	2	0	4	0	6	0	3
East North Central	140	159	4	4	144	163	47	63
West North Central	555	435	0	0	555	435	203	218
South Atlantic	79	39	80	118	159	157	80	105
South Central	11	25	31	50	42	75	0	0
West	97	22	21	114	118	136	32	22
United States	882	682	136	290	1,018	972	362	411
Turkey eggs in incubators November 1								
New England	0	9	0	0	0	9	0	0
Middle Atlantic	0	5	2	0	2	5	2	10
East North Central	316	378	10	9	326	387	87	127
West North Central	686	706	0	0	686	706	188	273
South Atlantic	228	233	200	256	428	489	188	199
South Central	18	22	48	117	66	139	0	0
West	117	72	9	222	126	294	12	26
United States	1,365	1,425	269	604	1,634	2,029	477	635

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Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1962	1963	:Change from: : last year	1962	1963	:Change from : last year	
	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Pct.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Pct.</u>
Heavy white breeds 1/							
January	2,012	1,508	- 25	2,012	1,508	- 504	- 25
February	2,091	2,594	+ 24	4,103	4,102	- 1	---
March	4,109	4,978	+ 21	8,212	9,080	+ 868	+ 11
April	5,329	5,747	+ 8	13,541	14,827	+1,286	+ 9
May	6,324	6,196	- 2	19,865	21,023	+1,158	+ 6
June	4,721	5,314	+ 13	24,586	26,337	+1,751	+ 7
July	2,874	2,975	+ 4	27,460	29,312	+1,852	+ 7
August	1,547	1,401	- 9	29,007	30,713	+1,706	+ 6
September	968	569	- 41	29,975	31,282	+1,307	+ 4
October	882	682	- 23	30,857	31,964	+1,107	+ 4
November	864			31,721			
December	1,046			32,767			
Other heavy breeds 1/							
January	1,169	1,210	+ 4	1,169	1,210	+ 41	+ 4
February	3,491	4,402	+ 26	4,660	5,612	+ 952	+ 20
March	9,957	10,867	+ 9	14,617	16,479	+1,862	+ 13
April	14,126	13,486	- 5	28,743	29,965	+1,222	+ 4
May	14,455	13,245	- 8	43,198	43,210	+ 12	---
June	8,995	8,649	- 4	52,193	51,859	- 334	- 1
July	3,143	3,013	- 4	55,336	54,872	- 464	- 1
August	353	289	- 18	55,689	55,161	- 528	- 1
September	110	159	+ 45	55,799	55,320	- 479	- 1
October	136	290	+113	55,935	55,610	- 325	- 1
November	168			56,103			
December	406			56,509			
Total all heavy breeds 1/							
January	3,181	2,718	- 15	3,181	2,718	- 463	- 15
February	5,582	6,996	+ 25	8,763	9,714	+ 951	+ 11
March	14,066	15,845	+ 13	22,829	25,559	+2,730	+ 12
April	19,455	19,233	- 1	42,284	44,792	+2,508	+ 6
May	20,779	19,441	- 6	63,063	64,233	+1,170	+ 2
June	13,716	13,963	+ 2	76,779	78,196	+1,417	+ 2
July	6,017	5,988	---	82,796	84,184	+1,388	+ 2
August	1,900	1,690	- 11	84,696	85,874	+1,178	+ 1
September	1,078	728	- 32	85,774	86,602	+ 828	+ 1
October	1,018	972	- 5	86,792	87,574	+ 782	+ 1
November	1,032			87,824			
December	1,452			89,276			

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Poults hatched by commercial hatcheries - United States

Month	By months			Cumulative			
	1962	1963	Change from:	1962	1963	Change from	
			last year			last year	
	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.	Thou.	Thou.	Thou.	Pct.
<u>Light breeds</u> 1/:							
January	357	605	+ 69	357	605	+ 248	+ 69
February	524	645	+ 23	881	1,250	+ 369	+ 42
March	745	744	---	1,626	1,994	+ 368	+ 23
April	925	912	- 1	2,551	2,906	+ 355	+ 14
May	1,495	1,527	+ 2	4,046	4,433	+ 387	+ 10
June	1,582	1,502	- 5	5,628	5,935	+ 307	+ 5
July	1,505	1,568	+ 4	7,133	7,503	+ 370	+ 5
August	1,055	1,046	- 1	8,188	8,549	+ 361	+ 4
September	437	468	+ 7	8,625	9,017	+ 392	+ 5
October	362	411	+ 14	8,987	9,428	+ 441	+ 5
November	295			9,282			
December	496			9,778			
Total all							
<u>breeds</u> 1/:							
January	3,538	3,323	- 6	3,538	3,323	- 215	- 6
February	6,106	7,641	+ 25	9,644	10,964	+1,320	+ 14
March	14,811	16,589	+ 12	24,455	27,553	+3,098	+ 13
April	20,380	20,145	- 1	44,835	47,698	+2,863	+ 6
May	22,274	20,968	- 6	67,109	68,666	+1,557	+ 2
June	15,298	15,465	+ 1	82,407	84,131	+1,724	+ 2
July	7,522	7,556	---	89,929	91,687	+1,758	+ 2
August	2,955	2,736	- 7	92,884	94,423	+1,539	+ 2
September	1,515	1,196	- 21	94,399	95,619	+1,220	+ 1
October	1,380	1,383	---	95,779	97,002	+1,223	+ 1
November	1,327			97,106			
December	1,948			99,054			

1/ Heavy white breeds include heavy white-feathered breeds, such as Broad white, white Holland, Empire white, Lancaster, and crosses with light white breeds. All other heavy breeds are reported under "other". Light breeds include Beltsville, Jersey Buff, Royal Palm and wild turkeys.